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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re Application of:)
 HARUO MACHIDA)
 Application No.: 09/544,265) Group Art Unit: 2775
 Filed: April 6, 2000)
 For: INFORMATION PROCESSING)
 APPARATUS, INFORMATION :
 PROCESSING SYSTEM,)
 CONTROL METHOD OF :
 INFORMATION PROCESSING)
 APPARATUS, CONTROL :
 METHOD OF INFORMATION)
 PROCESSING SYSTEM, AND :
 STORAGE MEDIUM HAVING)
 PROGRAMS CAPABLE OF :
 BEING READ AND STORED)
 BY COMPUTER : September 6, 2000

Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application dated June 7, 2000 for one month from August 7, 2000 to September 7, 2000.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or

credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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